

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Crim. No. 1:15-cr-074
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v.	:	
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DOROTHY WASHINGTON	:	Judge Sylvia H. Rambo

MEMORANDUM

Before the court is a letter from Defendant Dorothy Washington (“Washington”) requesting a reduction of her sentence. (Doc. 157.) The letter will be deemed to be a motion for reduction of sentence. Washington seeks to have the two point enhancement for possession of a firearm waived so that she can qualify for early release.

A court may amend or correct a sentence under the following conditions: (1) Where a successful appeal requires a resentencing on remand; (2) under Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 35 to correct a clear error or where the USA files for a reduction for substantial assistance; (3) where the sentencing commission subsequently lowered the sentencing range and makes the amendment retroactively applicable; and (4) where extraordinary or compelling reasons exist, but only on a motion by the Bureau of Prisons. 18 U.S.C. § 3582(a)(1)(A).

None of these provisions applies to Washington. Therefore, this court has no jurisdiction to amend the sentence. The motion will be denied.

s/Sylvia H. Rambo

SYLVIA H. RAMBO

United States District Judge

Dated: January 24, 2017